



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q68776

Minoru USUI

Group Art Unit: 2861

Appln. No.: 10/070,381

Examiner: VO, ANH T N

Confirmation No.: 2803

Filed: March 06, 2002

For: INK FEED UNIT FOR INK JET RECORDER AND DIAPHRAGM VALVE

EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c) is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

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All Claims	26	-	20	=	1	X	\$18.00	= \$108.00
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A check for the statutory fee of \$108.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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In response to the Office Action dated November 5, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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